# BURGLAR SHOT DEAD

As He Was Working on Safe in Sheldon Store.

BY THE STORE CLERK

Same Store Broken Into on Two Previous Occasions-Last Time Before This Burglar Held Up by Clerk and Sent to Windsor.

Sheldon, Oct. 13.—An unknown man Great Preparations at Shelburne for the

was shot and instantly killed here at about one o'clock this morning, while trying to burgiarize the store of Jennison & Gillet company.

He effected an entrance by prying open a side window, the sash of which was fastened down by a cleat, the snapping of this cleat as it was broken arousing Eugene Trudeau, a clerk who sleeps over the store. In Mr. Trudeau's room there is a register which looks room there is a register which looks down directly in front of the safe, and

been sent to different cities. He is six feet tall, weighs 180 pounds and was betwen 30 and 36 years of age. It is thought that he was one of the men connected with the East Deerfield post

office robbery a short time ago.

This store has been entered three times and the burglars have never succeeded in getting any booty, and have twice been caught. The first time was eight years ago, and a clerk scared them away. Four years ago a clerk named Royce surprised and made the burglar a prisoner, and he is now serving a sen-tence at Windsor.

Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 13.—The mystery which has surrounded the identity of the two men seen in a lumber box wagon at the Olney house on Friday last, the day of the murder of the Olney brothers and the Ingerick child was explained yesterday when William Conking and his son, John, were brought here from Brownville, Sullivan county, by chief of police, Brinkerhoff.

Brinkerhoff was adveed of the identity Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 13 .- The mys-

rhoff was advsed of the identity of the men by anonymous letters from

Otisville. Conkling and his son admit stopping at the Olney farm about noon last Friday but claim they saw no one there. They say they were desirous of purheasing onlors and procured some at a neighbor's house. Afterward they say, they drove home. There are some discrepancies in the stories told by father and son,

which will be investigated. Martin Sigler, a farmer residing near here, was held last night as a witness which did not end until midnight. De- reached. velopments of the past few hours indi-cate that the mystery may be solved soon. William Conkling at his son, John, of Brownville also have been held

# ARSENIC FOR BAKING POWDER.

#### Two Already Dead as Result of a Terrible Mistake.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 13 .- John Holliday and his wife are dead and their grandson, Harry Holliday, is expected to die from arsenic poisoning.

Mrs. Holliday used arsenic in making But Essex Junction Child Was Badly biscuits, mistaking it for baking pow

The grandson has used the arsenic to kill cats and had told his grandmother to be careful of the can, which was on a shelf in the pantry. In the dark yesterday morning she mistook it for bak-ing powder. She used enough of the stuff in the biscuits to kill 200 people. During the meal she noticed a peculiar taste in the biscuits, and went to look at the can in the pantry, but it seemed to be the baking powder can and she suspected nothing until she was taken died about noon and her husband died a few hours later. There is no hope for the grandson. Other members of the family who were late in arising escaped the poisoned biscuits.

# FRANCE GETTING IMPATIENT.

#### Because of President Castro's Persistent Refusal.

Paris, Oct. 13 .- For the first time since the trouble with Venezuela arose, the President Castro's persistence in refus-ing to recognize the French representa-tive at Caracas has exhausted the pa-tience of the French government, which still insists that apologies shall be offered to M. Taigny. While the French cable company refuses to deal directly with Castro, the feeling is predominant in official circles that the moment has come for action against Venezuela with or without the co-operation of the Unit-

## Will Ratify Tomorrow.

Washington, Oct. 13 .- The ratification of the peace treaty between Russia and Japan will take place tomorrow.

#### ENCOURAGING REPORT.

Junior Day With Christian Endeavorers Yesterday.

Richmond, Oct. 13.—Yesterday was largely Junior Day at the State Christian Endeavor convention. Miss Ellis report was very encouraging. She reported there are 77 junior societies in the state, of which 19 have been organized since Ooctober, 1904. Four hundred and twenty-three new juniors have been added in this time; 71 have become church members; 73 have graduated into the senior society. The juniors have given \$154 for the work in their own churches, and \$257 for missionary work. given \$154 for the work in their own churches, and \$257 for missionary work. Among the noteworthy accomplishments of the juniors, briefly stated, are these: A missionary box for Turkey, including \$5 worth of dolls, two quilts, valued each at \$2; a mission study study course, special work in temperance and missions, a prayer circle, which holds prayer meetings with shut-ins; a children's choir, money given for pastors' or janitors' salaries, and church repairs.

#### DUCHESS WILL ATTEND.

# Pulitzer-Webb Wedding.

Shelburne, Oct. 13.—The wedding of Miss Fredericka Vanderbilt Webb to Miss Fredericka Vanderbilt Webb to Mr. Ralph Pulitzer will be held at high noon tomorrow in Trinity Episcopal church. Rt. Rev. A. C. A. Hall, bishop of Vermont, will officiate, assisted by Rev. William F. Weeks, rector of the church, and Rev. Dr. Ernest Stair, rector of the church, and Rev. Dr. Ernest Stair, rector of St. Thomas church, New York. Music will be furnished by a down directly in front of the safe, and the clerk matched a moment through this and saw a man tampering with the lock. Trudeau leveled his revolver, but the man stepped out of range for a moment. As quick as he came in sight again Trudeau fired, the bullet entering his head just behind the right ear, killing him instantly. Mr. Trudeau then aroused the community by firing out of the window.

The burglar was not identified, but photographs were taken of him and have photographs were taken of him and have many other noted society people.

# STATE HEALTH IS GOOD.

#### Board Reports That There Are No Epidemics.

Burlington, Oct. 13,—Dr. C. S. Caverly of Rutland, Dr. H. D. Holton of Brat-tleboro and Dr. T. R. Stiles of St. Johnsbury, members of the state board of health, met at the state laboratory of Leighton. hygiene yesterday and considered various matters pertaining to the work of the board.

TWO ARRESTS MADE.

Authorities Think They Are Clearing Up
Middletown, N. Y. Murder.

Months a serving a sentence at Windsor.

The report of W. H. Hazen of New York with reference to the proposed filtration plant for Vergennes was read and discussed, but it did not require any action on the part of the board. The other cities and towns in which the water systems have been condemned are all considering a remedy, and the board does not need to take further action. The towns affected are Burlington, St. Johnsbury, Enosburg Falls and Swan-

## NO SITE SELECTED.

considered plans for the coming year. The question of the new tuberculosis sanitarium which Schator Redfield Proctor is to build and give to the state was discussed, but no action relative has been sent to various parts of the state in conenction with the case, Sigler was by Senator Proctor to visit the sites subjected to a most rigid examination, suggested but no decision has yet been suggested but no decision has yet been To Help Her Father and to Buy Medi-

> The commission will hold meetings in the various counties during the coming year, as they have in the past and will continue their campaign of education. It is probable that a few more meetings will be held this year, probably in Caledonia and Chittenden counties. Dr. H. D. Holton, the newly-elected chairman, who succeeds Dr. P. D. Grout of Waterbury, recently resigned, met with the board for the second time last night.

## UNDERWEAR SAVES LIFE.

## Burned.

Essex Junction, Oct. 13,-Charles, the Mudgett, was quite badly burned on one arm yesterday. Mrs. Mudgett had left the room for a short time, and he Mudgett, returning just then, found the sleeve of his dress aftre. The heavy woolen underwear the child wore probabviolently ill shortly after the meal. She ly saved him from being severely burned.

## A PROVIDENCE TRAGEDY.

# Murder and Suicide Revealed in Rhode Island City.

Providence, R. I., Oct. 13.-A case of nurder and suicide was revealed here vesterday by the findling of the bodies of John Roderick, aged 28, a Portugues abover, and his alleged common lay wife, Constante Mirandi, aged 25. Medieal Examiner Pegram after an examinasituation is regarded as growing acute, tion was made found that Roderick had shot and killed the woman and then committed suicide. Jealousy is ascribed as the cause of the tragedy. The attention of the police was attracted to the Roderick house by the crying of their months old buby. The child will placed in the care of a charitable insti-

## REV. SANFORD FINED \$100.

# For Cruelty to His Son-Holy Ghost and Us of Shiloh Guilty.

Lewiston, Me., Oct. 13.-The Rev. Frank Sanford of Shiloh was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 today on a charge of cruelty to his son.

# FOUR YEARS FOR COMOLLI

tempt

# ON MRS. BROGGI'S LIFE ADDRESS ON FORESTRY

#### Simple Assault Only - The Case Against Leighton Is Dismissed

In the case of State vs. Leighton, of Woodbury, for breach of peace, a verdict of not guilty was ordered, because Wm. Lund of Woodbury, the principal witness, could not remember or identify Leighton.

The purpose of Mrs. Irons talk was to show that the agitation of women's suffrage and women's clubs is no new idea.

The tenth annual meeting of the Vermont State Federation of Women's Clubs adjourned at 8:30 to allow the

Bethel, Oct. 13 .- Assisted by Wilder's orchestra, a chorus of twenty voices under the direction of Dr. Edward L. Jordon of Boston, with Miss Flora Kendall der the direction of Dr. Edward L. Jordon of Boston, with Miss Flora Kendall
of California at the piano, rendered before a large and appreciative audience
at the opera house last evening, the
sacred cantats, "The Holy City" by Wm.
Gaul, in a most acceptable manner. It
was the finest musicale given in Bethel
in recent years.

Assisting the climans were prices from
interest has been aroused throughout.

Assisting the chorus were voices from interest has been aroused throughout Middlebury college, South Royalton and the United States by the portending dan-Royalton, with Mrs. Erva Martin Sarger of a timber famine. In speaking of pent, merzo-soprano, Mrs. R. M. Chase, the control of the contr Representative Is Being Sent Out by Commission.

Burlington, Oct. 13.—The members of the state tuberculosis commission mea at the Van Ness House last night and traito voice. During an interlude Wil- forests in our country. It would take

## STOLE \$12,000.

## cine for Her Sick Sister.

firm's money the last four years, in or-Golding, a spinster of 36 years, was ar-raigned in court this morning.

Mr. Hitchcock said that as

ashier and confidential clerk for

# JEROME'S OPPONENT.

## Attorney.

New York, Oct. 13 .- James W. Osand his little sister. Margaret, were alone. The little girl started to put some paper into the stove, but it lighted quickly and fell on the baby, and Mrs. county by the democratic county convention, held in Tammany hall. Mr. Osborne accepted and will be one of the opponents of Mr. Jerome, who is making an independent campaign for re-election. as if insurance companies ought to in-

## DECREE EXPECTED TODAY.

## ACCEPTS THE AGREEMENT.

#### Second Chamber of Swedish Riksdag Fa vors Dissolution.

Copenhagen, Oct. 13.—Advices from Stockholm say that the second chamber of the Swedish Riksdag has unanimousv accepted the Karlstad agreement for the dissolution of the union between Norway and Sweden. A definite result has thus been reached in the negotiations looking to dissolution.

# CONVENTION **ADJOURNED**

## Who Was Charged With At- State Club Women Ended Sessions Last Night.

Jury Found That He Was Guilty of Miss Susan Clark of Brattleboro Was Re-elected President - The Constitution Was Somewhat

Modified.

in a fight during which one shot came ing, when Mrs. Walter Stokes Irons adpear hitting her, went to the jury late yesterday afternoon. This morning it brought in a verdiet of guilty of simple of the work and recreation of the women assault. Comolli was sentenced to not less than four nor more than four and a half years at hard labor in the House of Correction.

The attorneys for the defendant entering the author of the work and recreation of the work and recreation

The attorneys for the defendant entered an appeal to Supreme Court on exceptions. The court ruled that the defence had not set up any claim of self defence and it is on this ruling they will carry the case up.

E. Maggiani, the Italian who was found guilty of assault with intent to kill Conductor Perkins, was sentenced this afternoon to not more than five years nor less than four years and nine months in the house of correction.

England, of Mrs. Brette, who was really the first agitator for women's suffrage, of famous women of Massachusetts who formed a sort of club before the Revolution, but which was so frowned upon by the men that it was dropped. But a club was started about the time of the "Boston tea party" which was known as the "Daughters of Liberty." This was really the first woman's club in America.

years nor less than four years and nine months in the house of correction.

In the case of State vs. Charence Stacy for assault, Stacy was sentenced to not more than four nor less than three and one half years in the house of correction at Rutland.

In the case of State vs. Leighton, of that the children of New York and the little sympathy which the writers received. She also told of the pastimes of the women and children, both North and South, saying that the children of New York and the

Fine Concert Before Large Audience Last
Evening.

Was adjourned at 8:30 to allow the ladies to attend the lecture by Jacob Riis. The delegates returned to their

#### Destruction of Forests.

Yesterday afternoon's session of the

1900 thirty-live always favorites with a Bethel audience lumber were used in these United States,

der's orchestra rendered "In Leita De from 100 to 200 years to cover the Manoson," by Gillet, music specially imported and the only copies known to be growth of valuable timber. The railing America. 120,000,000 railroad ties, or about billion feet; they use for other purposes an equal amount, making a total of eight billion feet used annually by the railroads. Certain kinds of timber are nearly

New York, Oct. 13.—Confessing that extinct in the United States. Pines, for the instance, for which Maine was once famextinct in the United States. Pines, for her to purchase medicine for the sick ent in that state. Michigan, Wisconsin, sister and aid her aged father, Miss Mary and Minnesota will be stripped of pine Mr. Hitchcock said that as we lessen

Only a charge of petty larceny was our timber land we are lessening our preferred against her. She was held for supply of underground water currents, further examination. Miss Golding was our timber land we are lessening our it is chiefly in the timber lands the that these have their sources, as the cashier and confidential cierk for the that these have their sources, as the Larkin Soap Co. She confessed to open lands are beaten down to such stealing from \$10,000 to \$12,000 in the last four years from the petty cash off as surface water. As the forests grow less the floods in the spring caused by the rapidly melting snows become worse. In the forests the snow does not melt so rapidly and so sinks into the me-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. James W. Osborne Named for District ground. Our forests act like large bodies of water in equalizing the temperature. Mr. Hitchcock thought the best way for Vermonters to stop the destruction of our forests was for the legislature to make a law regulating the taxation of timber lands so that the owners could afford to let the timber stand in stead of stripping it off as quickly as

as if insurance companies ought to insure a man's timber as readily as a city block. Vermont, small as it is watched the case, says he believes forest happens to be on a hill or mounup rivers and lakes.

There is a social problem also con-nected with the wholesale stripping of our bills, for by the buying up and cutting over by the great syndicates of vast districts, the people of those districts are deprived of their vocation. that of lumbering on a small scale, so our small villages are being slowly de-populated. In Vermont we have between 2,500,000 and 3,500,000 acres of forest our small villages are being slowly depopulated. In Vermont we have between 2,500,000 and 3,500,000 acres of forest and waste land, but the waste land is getting rapidly layer. Vermont realizes getting rapidly larger. Vermont realizes annually \$6,000,000 from timber and about \$4,000,000 from fire wood, bark, time the schedule will be read.

etc., thus making a total of \$10,000,000. But each year it takes that much worth from our hills, which is not being put back in any way, so that at the present rate of cutting down forest land it will be only a few years before this industry will be at an end. Mr. Hitchcock thought that the state ought to buy up the waste lands and let them have a chance to become reforested.

The audience was then treated to a vocal solo by Mrs. W. Frank Harris, accompanied by Mrs. Davis.

The report of the credential committee was then beard, which showed that out of the 28 federated clubs 21 were represented. But each year it takes that much worth

## The Election of Officers.

The president then asked if there were any amendments to be made to the bylaws, and it was voted to amend the constitution in such a way as to set aside the bylaw, for one meeting only, which states that the officers of the federation shall hold office for only two years. Since the election of the federa-tion officers comes on the same year as the biennial meeting of the general fed-eration, the newly elected president who is the chairman of the Vermont dele Montpelier, Oct. 13.—The case of State
vs. David Comolli, charged with assault
on Mrs. Mary Broggl with intent to kill
in a fight during which one shot came
in a fight during which one for only one year or the present officers be kept in office for one more year, thus accomplishing the desired end of hav-ing the president in office one year be-

ing the president in office one year by fore going to the national convention.

The latter course was decided upon, and Miss Susan E. Clark of Brattle-boro was elected president; Mrs. Rebecca Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury, vice president; Mrs. Josephine H. Arms of Bellows Falls, treasurer, and since Mrs. Hazen of St. Johnsbury did not wish to serve as recording secretary. Mrs. to serve as recording secretary, Mrs.
O. D. Mathewson of the city was elected to ill her place. Mrs. Mary C. Kirkland of Bellows Falls was elected auditor, Mrs. Susan E. Balch of St. Johnsbury was elected state secretary to the General Federation.

Miss Susan E. Clark was elected chairman of the board of delegates to the General Federation. The other dele-gates were: Mrs. Rebecca Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury, Mrs. H. S. Welling of Bennington, Mrs. C. C. Warren of Waterbury, Mrs. Josephine H. Arms of Bellows Falls, and Mrs. N. D. Phelps of Barre.

The session closed with the report of the state editor.

## "TONY'S STRUGGLE:"

#### Subject of Interesting Address by Jacob Riis Last Evening.

Barre people in goodly numbers, a considerable delegation from Montpelier and the club women who have been attending the State Federation convention in this city were enabled to listen to Jacob Riis, reporter, lecturer and slum reformer, at the Barre opera house last evening. Mr. Riis came to fill a last

speaker's voice and mannerisms they were well pleased with the presentation of the struggles of the slum boy of New York as told by one of the prominent workers among them. Twenty-five years as a police reporter followed by active work in uplifting the young men, gives Mr. Riis a personal experience. This experience he told in his graphic style, keeping the audience interested for nearly two hours:

The speaker maintained that there are three things which shape the boy, (1) the home, (2) the public school, and (3) the chance for play, the safety valve, as Mr. Riis called it, of the boy's pentup entlusiasm. Yet New York is a homeless city; three-fourths of the four millions live in tenements, and tenement life makes for unrighteousness and corruption of the young. Then the speaker told how this comes about in New York. The public schools of New York are largely "sausage machines", he declared, where the children are cramed full of mere facts, much as the sausage skins are cramed full of filling in the markets, The public schools are more or less of political foot ball. And finally the boy' chance for play is curtailed by the sign "Keep Off the Grass", which adorns every ten foot plot of land in the tenement region. No wonder, Mr. Riis asserted, that the bay's bent is toward criminalthat the bay's bent is toward criminality. The tendency is in New York to teach a boy disrespect for law. He quoted figures to show that 75 per cent of the Baptst church, which has been in its now ready for occupancy and will be reopened next Sunday. Nearly \$1,200 the boys in the Elmira, N. Y., reformations are required in repairs and reformations. tory are absolutely devoid, or almost furnishing. devoid, of moral sense

## PLAN FOR BOWLING SEASON.

#### Intercity League Will Begin Season's Games Very Soon.

city block. Vermont, small as it is in Montpelier last evening, and it was street this fall. The road roller, to comparatively, lost \$250,000 by forest decided to arrange and play out a sched-avoid going over the Brook street bridge, Believed Mrs. Taggart Will Get Divorce in Ohio.

Comparatively, lost \$250,000 by forest decided to arrange and play out a schedling up of a list of games was left to A. W. Bailey of Montholes and the loss, but only that of timber. The sections burned over the Brook street bridge, passed down North Main and up Silver and Henry Alexander of Barre. There will be three teams from each of the 12th, in about six inches of mud and water. They feel if this is repeated once in five or six years the inhabitants special rules were adopted by the meet. ing, viz., any man playing the opening Mrs. Taggart will get a decree of distant stope, as is usually the case in that team and cannot play on any other; if he does the game does not count thill be placed in the care of the mother, and Taggart will get the older of the soil down into the valleys, filling he played unlawfully. Sixteen pound game with any team is a member of balls, 27 inches in circumference, shall be used in all matches. The general rules as drawn up by the American Bowling Congress, will govern the matches. No player may hold more than one prize, and a player must participate in at least two-thirds of the games scheduled for his team before

# DR. CHANDLER PRESIDENT

## Of Vermont State Medical Society.

## WILL MEET IN BARRE NEXT

Meeting of Physicians at Burlington Closed This Forenoon-Resolutions Passed Commending Senator Proctor's Gift.

Burlington, Oct. 13.—The State Medi-cal Society held its closing session this morning. These officers were elected: President, Dr. M. L. Chandler of Barre; President, Dr. M. L. Chandler of Barre; vice president, Dr. E. S. Albee, Bellows Falls; Secretary, George H. Gorham of Bellows Falls; treasurer, Dr. B. H. Stone of Burlington; auditor, Dr. J. H. Blodgett of Bellows Falls; executive committee, Drs. Chandler of Barre, Gorham of Bellows Falls and H. C. Tinkham of this city. Dr. C. B. Ross of West Rutland was elected delegate to the American Medical Association.

Resolutions were passed commending Senator Proctor for his gift of \$150,000 for a tuberculosis sanitarium.

The society will meet in Barre next Burlington, Oct. 13.—The ninety-sec-ond annual meeting of the Vermont State Medical Society was opened here yesterday morning with a fair attend-ance. Dr. P. E. McSweeney of this city presided. Secretary G. H. Gorham of Bellows Falls reported that there were 400 members in the society, eight having died within the year. The Orange having died within the year. The Orange county society has been abolished. Treas-urer B. H. Stone of this city reported a balance of \$104.37 in the treasury; received, \$415.75; from county societies, \$275; from state medical censors, \$450. Some of these receipts were back dues

Some of these receipts were back dues unpaid.

Obituaries were read and an address was delivered by Vice President M. L. Chandler of Barre. There was a lecture by C. L. Scudder of Boston, and lively and interesting papers by others.

There was a banquet last night. A reception for women was held in the afternoon,

#### DEATH OF EZRA I. WHITE. Former Resident of Barre Passes Away

seers of the Barre open seers of the Barre open seers of the seers of As Mr. Riis speaks with a peculiar accent the audience spent several min. utes trying to get acquainted, but when this city, five brothers, all of this city, they did accustom themselves to the they being Louis H., David E., William, Edgar and Arthur, as well as two sisters, Mrs. Eliza Carroll of Barre and Cora White of Randolph. None of the parti-culars of his death were received by his brothers. Arthur and Edgar went to Burlington this afternoon to make arrangements for his funeral.

# ALLISON E. FRENCH DEAD.

#### Cause of Death Was Pneumonia-Funeral Sunday Afternoon.

Allison E. French, a long time resident of this city, died at 3 o'clock this morning at the age of 63 years. He had been ill for the past two weeks with pneu-monia. For about fifteen years he has been employed in the Elmwood cemetery. He was a veteran of the Civil War. He is survived by one sister and three bro-thers, Albert of this city, George of Barre town, and Randall of Williamstown. The funeral will be held from the house, 227 Washington street at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Burial will be in Elmwood cemetery,

## CHURCH REFURNISHED.

#### Baptist Society Expends Nearly \$1,200 in Improvements.

Montpelier, Oct. 13.-The auditorium

## SILVER STREET HOPEFUL.

#### Because Street Roller Is Compelled to Pass Once in Five or Six Years.

A meeting of the Intercity Bowling
Association was held at Bailey's alleys in Montpelier last evening, and it was street this full. The road roller, to plaint but what the street and walk is

## ONE OF THE DELIGHTED PEOPLE.

## "OUR COMMERCE."

#### Hon. Harvey Goulder of Cleveland Addresses American Bankers.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.-The private ciple address before the American Benkers' association today was by Hon. Havey Goulder of Cleveland, Ohio, his surject being "Our Commerce". He spot a in advocacy of legalation that would re-habilitate the American Merchants mar-

#### Series Dance. There will be a series dance in the

Pavilion this evening.